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SUBJECT: ITEM IN JERUSALEM POST DATED LINED CAIRO, BY DON

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JERUSALEM POST JULY 7 CARRIED PAGE-TWO INTERVIEW WITH N.G.W. THORNE. ITEM QUOTES THORNE AS OPTIMISTIC ABOUT MIDDLE EAST PEACE PROSPECTS BECAUSE, FROM UNIQUE VANTAGE POINT OF CONTACT WITH BOTH SIDES, SFM PERSONNEL GET IMPRESSION NEITHER SIDE OEVXCR AND THAT BOTH ISRAEL AND EGYPT WILL ACT RESPONSIBLY -- THAT DESPITE TOUGH TALK SFM CONTACTS GIVE FEELING THERE MUST BE 1977 GENEVA MEETING AND THERE MUST BE PROGRESS "IF ONLY TOWARD AN EXPANDED AND MORE SOPHISTICATED CEASE-FIRE." NEWSPAPER COMMENTS ON SFM'S SUCCESS AND PRESIDENT CARTER'S AND OTHERS' SUGGESTION THAT SFM MAY SERVE AS PROTOTYPE FOR SIMILAR SURVEILLANCE SITES GUARANTEEING FUTURE ARAB-ISRAELI BORDERS. ARTICLE COMMENTS "HARDLY A MOUSE CAN TAP ITS FOOT IN 16-BY-32 KILOMETER LISTENING POST AREA WITHOUT BEING HEARD AND IDENTIFIED BY SFM TECHNICIANS." ALSO EMPHASIZES SFM ROLE OF "WATCHING OTHER WATCHERS" AND THE TRUST SFM HAS GAINED FROM BOTH SIDES.

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